



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Wilbur Eidson, et al.  
Serial No.: 09/924,233  
Application Filed: 08/08/2001  
Application Title: AUTOMATIC VETERINARY MEDICAMENT DELIVERY  
SYSTEM  
Examiner/GAU: Thissel. J./3763

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.47

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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Sir:

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR ACCEPTANCE OF SUPPLEMENTAL  
DECLARATION WITH ONE NON-SIGNING INVENTOR

This Petition is

- (1) in writing;
- (2) identifies the application by application number and filing date;
- (3) small entity status has previously been established;
- (4) is accompanied by the required filing fee as set forth in §1.17(h),
- (5) permission is granted to debit deposit account 19-0268 for the amount set forth in §1.17(h); and
- (6) includes an explanation of the basis for making the statement.

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Applicant requests this Supplemental Declaration be accepted for the above-identified

application under MPEP 409.03(d). Applicant's assignee is a small entity, which has previously been established.

Second named inventor, Jon Mathisrud, was contacted on or about November 4, 2001 personally by telephone by the undersigned at his place of business: 651-455-6314. Mr. Mathisrud indicated he was not interested in either signing documents, or assisting Mr. Eidson or the undersigned in any way related to the above-identified patent application. Mr Mathisrud further stated that he had walked away from this project financially and that the project embodied in this application was totally Mr. Eidson's concern.

Applicant concludes that the conduct of the non-signing inventor, Mr. Jon Mathisrud, constitutes refusal to sign the Supplemental Declaration or a new assignment.

Applicant requests that this proof of refusal of a co-inventor to sign the Supplemental Declaration and an additional assignment be accepted.

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